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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
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 SCHWARTZKOPF )  
 ) Group Art Unit: 1724  
 Patent Application No.: 10/634,595 )  
 ) Examiner: Hruskoci, Peter A.  
 Filed: 08/04/2003 )  
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 For: LIQUID FILTRATION APPARATUS AND )  
 METHOD EMBODYING SUPER-BUOYANT )  
 FILTRATION PARTICLES )

Commissioner of Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above identified application.

- (X ) No additional fee is required.
- ( ) An extension of a shortened statutory time for response under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is requested.
- ( ) A verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
  - ( ) is enclosed.
  - ( ) is of record in this application.

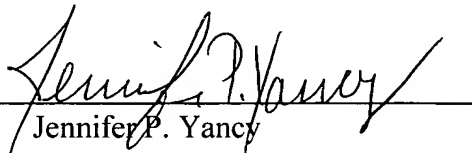
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining after Amend.	Highest Number Paid For	Extra	RATE		Amount
				Large Entity	Small Entity	
No. of Claims in Excess of 20				50.00	25.00	
Independent Claims in Excess of 3				200.00	100.00	
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims				360.00	180.00	
Extension Fee						
( ) One month				120.00	60.00	
( ) Two Months				450.00	225.00	
( ) Three Months				1,020.00	510.00	
( ) Four Months				1,590.00	795.00	
( ) Five Months				2,160.00	1,080.00	

TOTAL FEE ..... \$

- ( ) A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_ is attached. (Check No. \_\_)
- ( ) Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 10-1213.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-1213.
- (X) Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- (X) Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action which was mailed on March 2, 2005, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows: